Wrangell St. Elias National Park and Preserve Far North Film Festival Schedule of Films

11:30 AM

Wrangell St. Elias National Park and Preserve Visitor Center opens and pre-viewing reception- Refreshments provided

12:00

Addicted to Plastic 85 Minutes

For better and for worse, no ecosystem or segment of human activity has escaped the shrink-wrapped grasp of plastic. Addicted to Plastic is a global journey to investigate what we really know about the material-of-a-thousand uses and why there's so darn much of it. On the way, we discover a toxic legacy and the men and women dedicated to cleaning it up.

Intermission (15 minutes)

1:30

Plight of the Puffins 14 Minutes

Off the coast of Iceland and off the beaten track like the Westman Islands, a unique stretch of volcanic activity runs rampant and migratory sea birds are abundant. The world's largest breeding colony of Atlantic Puffins is found here, and for generations hardy islanders hunted the clown-facedbirds for survival. Today puffins provide a link to the past, but Earth's changing climate is threatening Iceland's puffin population. Plight of the Puffin explains the impact of changing global seas on this unique island community.

1:45

Listen to the Ice 7 Minutes

The glaciers of Alaska, and Kenai Fjords in specific, have been telling us about climate change for many years. We are only now starting to listen. Join USGS Research Geologist Dr. Bruce Molnia as he investigates the glaciers of Kenai Fjords using repeat photography to document a century of change.

1:55

Attack of the Sea Slugs 2 Minutes

Bright orange sea pens bring color to the cold stark landscape of the subtidal sand flats of the Puget Sound. Although these sand flats appear desolate, hiding in wait is a creature with an acquired taste for sea pens.

2:00

Good Food - Sustainable Food & Farming in the Pacific Northwest 57 Minutes

Something Remarkable is happening in the Pacific Northwest--After leaving the land for decades, family farmers are making a comeback! They are growing much healthier food at higher quantities, all while using less energy and water than factory farms. To top it off, all of this food is organic!

Intermission (20 minutes)

3:20

The Secret Weapon 5 Minutes

When attacked by a voracious sunflower star, the helpless keyhole limpet relies on others for its defense. Watch & find out who will come to its aid!

3:30

Kilowatt Ours - A Plan to Re-Energize America 24 Minutes

Kilowatt Ours traces the wires from our light switches to environmental catastrophes such as air pollution, childhood asthma and global warming. The filmmaker takes viewers on a thought-provoking search for solutions that save consumers money, strengthen America's economy, and improve the quality of our lives and the environment

4:00

Woven Ways 50 Minutes...

Woven Ways shares the stories of five Navajo families, the land and livestock that sustain their culture and economy, and the grave environmental injustices that threaten their health and well being. Deadly uranium and dirty coal power pose serious problems to all those who live on the Navajo reservation in eastern Arizona and western New Mexico. Told in their own words with no scripted narration, Woven Ways is a story of Navajo beauty, hope and determination to protect the land, air, and water--not just for themselves, but for generations that will come.

4:50

Thank you and Wrap Ups for the festival